

Police Department - Orders of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.21340/1995 filed by Ms.Vasanthi Menon, Advocate - Accepted - Sanction of compensation for a sum of Rs.50,000/- to Ms.Vasanthi Menon, Advocate - Accorded - Orders - Issued.

HOME (PSC) DEPARTMENT

Date:19 -6-2008.

1. From the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, Orders dated:08-08-1996 in W.P.No.21340/1995 filed by Ms.Vasanthi Menon, Advocate .
2. From the D.G.P.,A.P., Hyd., Lr. Rc. No.908/U3/1996, dated.01-5- 2008
3. From the D.G.P.,A.P., Hyd., Lr. Rc. No.908/U3/1996, dated.14-5- 2008.

In the reference 2nd and 3rd read above, the Director General of Police A.P., Hyderabad has stated that the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, in the judgement dated:08-08-1996 in W.P.No.21340/1995 filed by Ms.Vasanthi Menon, Advocate, among other orders/instructions, has also issued the following order:

- (1) The Government of the State of Andhra Pradesh shall pay to the petitioner a compensation in a sum of Rs.50,000/- only, within one month of the receipt of the copy of the judgment.

2. The DGP has further stated that the Government, in the Memo.No. 23381/Legal-I/A2/2006, Home (Legal-I) Department, dt.13-02-2007, has informed that the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., Hyderabad has, inter alia, directed to pay the compensation of a sum of Rs.50,000/- to the petitioner in the said orders. The said orders were challenged in the Apex Court and the Apex Court in its interim orders dt.14-9-1998 in Cr.M.P.No.5688 of 1998 in S.L.P.(CrI) No.3142/1998 stayed the orders of the Hon'ble High Court. But the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in their order dt.20-04-2006 in Criminal Appeal No.281/1999 dismissed the appeal filed by the State of Andhra Pradesh. Hence the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India have to be implemented. Therefore, the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad was requested to comply with the orders of the Hon'ble High Court and send a compliance report to Government immediately.

3. Consequently, the Director General of Police has requested the Govt., to accord sanction for an amount of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand only) towards compensation under relevant Head of Account and to advance the amount from the contingency fund under the relevant budget head to the Police Department as there is no budget provision in BE 2008-09 for payment of compensation amount as per decretal orders of the Court.

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4. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby accord sanction for a sum of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only) as compensation to Ms.Vasanthi Menon, Advocate, as per the directions of High Court of AP in WP.No.21340 of 1995.

5. The expenditure sanctioned shall be debited to 2055 Police - MH 001 Direction and Administration - SH (01) Head Quarters office 500 Other Charges /501 Compensation (charged) and shall initially be met by way of an advance from Contingency fund and orders regarding which will be issued by Finance (BG) Department separately.

6. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is hereby authorized to draw the said sum of Rs.50,000/- sanctioned in para (4) above and disburse the same to the above petitioner.

7. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is requested to take action for obtaining the supplementary grant at appropriate time during the current Financial year 2008 - 2009 towards recoupment of the advance sanctioned to contingency fund.

9. This order is issued with the concurrence of the Finance (Exp:Home) Department vide their U.O.Note.17416/246/A1/ Exp.Home/08, dt.12-06-08.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P.V.NAIDU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Finance (Exp.Home/BG-1) Department.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts/ The Accountant General,
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.

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// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //

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